REMARKS

Applicant has studied the Office Action dated June 23, 2003 and has made amendments to the claims. It is submitted that the application, as amended, is in condition for allowance. By virtue of this amendment, claims 28-46 are pending. Claims 20-27 have been canceled without prejudice. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the above amendments and the following remarks are respectfully requested.

In response to the restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121, Applicant elects for continued prosecution of the Group II claims (i.e., claims 28-46) drawn to a semiconductor die package. To advance the prosecution of the application, all other previously pending claims (i.e., claims 20-27) have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Applicant expressly reserves the right to later file a divisional application directed to the non-elected claims.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the application and the claims are in condition for allowance. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to direct future correspondence regarding this application to the undersigned attorney at the address below.

If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at the telephone number below should the Examiner believe a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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